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DETAILS OF THE BURLINGTON DEAL

Northern Pacific and Great Northern to Put It Through by Issuing \$200 in Bonds for Each \$100 Worth of Burlington Stock.

NEW YORK, May 13.—The World tomorrow will say that Senator William A. Clark, who is now abroad, was a large purchaser of Union Pacific stock today and that these purchases were made in behalf of the Hill-Morgan party.

The World will also say: An immense battle is now on for control of Union Pacific, the fight being retaliatory by Morgan against the Harriman syndicate for the latter's struggle to wrest Northern Pacific from the Hill-Morgan crowd. Kuhn, Leob & Co. (Monday) completed a revision count of all the stock actually held by them and their allies and their agents abroad. The count showed a great change over that made on Saturday. While the stock actually in their possession does not give them control, the margin is very narrow and they still have a great many purchases to hear from. If one-fourth of these result in deliveries of actual stock they will have control.

A member of the Harriman-Kuhn-Leob syndicate who gave these facts to a World reporter said: "When Morgan & Co. stated that they had control of Northern Pacific they made the statement in perfect good faith. In stating now that the stocks actually in our possession gives every indication that we have got control, we do not wish it to be understood that Morgan & Co. have been saying anything that they were not conscientiously entitled to say."

Union Pacific Still Available.

The Harriman-Kuhn-Leob syndicate made no attempt to say that their control of Union Pacific could not be purchased away from them by the high prices appealing to some stockholders who are at odds with them. When their representative was asked yesterday who was buying the big blocks of Union Pacific he said: "Our best information is that it is Senator Clark and the First National bank. Of course in this connection in all it is said the interests of those hostile to Mr. Harriman."

"Is it possible for the other side to get controlling interest in the Union Pacific?"

"We control the Union Pacific at the present time, but it would be possible." "Has not your side got enough of actual Union Pacific stock locked up to insure its control?"

"I would not say that." "Official announcement of those who have control of the Northern Pacific will not be made until the end of the month and perhaps later. It was made public yesterday that the purchase of the Burlington by the Northern Pacific and Great Northern will be put through. The buying stocks are to issue \$200 in bonds for every \$100 par value share of Burlington stock. This will give Mr. Hill and Mr. Morgan a profit of nearly \$200,000,000. Hill and Morgan bought up great quantities of Burlington before outsiders knew that the purchase was in contemplation. In all it is said they got 400,000 shares at an average price of \$150. The price that is to be paid by buying shares is \$200. The spokesman of the Harriman syndicate said:

"We will not oppose the payment of \$200 for the Burlington stock, though it is true that great blocks of it were bought up by somebody some time back at a low figure."

GRAND MASTER TO HAVE HELP

Brotherhood of Trainmen's Amendment Provides for an Assistant at Headquarters.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 13.—The Brotherhood of Trainmen today finished its work on amendments to the constitution. Under the new order of things the grand master will be allowed an assistant, to be located at headquarters. The assistant will be one of the four vice grand masters and will assist in executive matters, including the settlement of all grievances. This will leave three vice grand masters for field work. Frank P. Sargent, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, addressed the convention this afternoon.

The convention decided to adopt the old plan of a system of federation of the five railroad organizations for the settlement of grievances. Under the plan the various organizations are to appoint committees of two on every railroad, the combined committees to be known as a federated board. Should one organization fail in the settlement of a grievance the federated board is authorized to bring about an adjustment. Similar action is expected to be taken at the conductors' convention in St. Paul, which meets tomorrow. Another important action calls for the appointment of a committee on legislation in each state.

KING WRITES KANSAS AGAIN

Edward VII. Approves the Leislators Who Did't Like His First Note, Mentioning Loyalty.

TOPEKA, Kan., May 13.—Governor Stanley today received a letter written by Foreign Minister Lansdowne at the request of King Edward VII., thanking the Kansas legislature for their resolutions in sympathy over the death of Queen Victoria. This is the third communication the legislature has received from King Edward since they passed their resolution of sympathy. In the first they were thanked for their "sympathy and loyalty."

They objected to this phraseology, which placed them in the attitude of being loyal to the British throne and the king's legacy. The king heard of this action and immediately expressed his regrets to Ambassador Joseph H. Choate, explaining that a subordinate had sent out the wrong letter of thanks to the Kansas legislature. The letter received today is an acknowledgment in proper form of the resolution.

STAVES OFF EXPECTED PANIC

J. Pierpont Morgan Gets London Stock Exchange to Freeze Northern Pacific.

PROVINCES WILL HAVE TO BE HELPED

Commission Finds It Necessary to Provide Some Support for New Government Until Collection of Land Taxes.

MANILA, May 13.—At a conference recently held by Brigadier General Panunzi and General Lacuna, in the provinces of Nueva Ecija, Laguna and Cavite, the general's forces and arms and surrender as soon as possible.

It is considered certain that Colonel Charles A. Woodruff, the chief commissary officer, had no consultation with the contractors. The result of his name is explained by the fact that the latter paid the renting agency a portion of the rent for Colonel Woodruff's house above the price which was named to Colonel Woodruff. This amount Colonel Woodruff advised the general to accept, but he, having in the meanwhile left the house. But the agents declined to accept it.

There have been several minor captures in Cavite, Batangas and Jabaos provinces. A number of troops and quantities of supplies have been destroyed.

A civilian, Sylvester C. Fletcher, an employe of the depot quartermaster, has been sentenced to five years' imprisonment in Bilibid prison (Manila) for selling government stores and coffee. The trial of Commissary Sergeant Henry Wilson, on the charge of stealing supplies, was begun today.

Major Vose Restrainted.

The military officials, generally, are seconding the civil settlements of affairs in the provinces with the notable exception of the province of Batangas, where Major William P. Vose, commanding the Sixth artillery, has sought to enforce his own ordinance to collect taxes and has not authorized civil government in the province.

General MacArthur has ordered Major Vose to cease his unauthorized assumptions of authority.

The United States commission finds that the internal collections in most of the provinces are not sufficient to support the provincial governments until the beginning of the collections of land taxes. A year hence, and appropriations of \$2,000 to \$3,000 will be made from the insular treasury in favor of several of the provinces. These appropriations will be considered loans. In addition, the provincial laws will be amended so as to require a quota of one peso from all males over 18, half of which will go to the province and half to the municipality.

The treasury at Washington has begun the payment of sundry army expenses, including rents and rewards for surrendered arms, formerly borne by the insular treasury.

LEE RELICS TO BE RETURNED

Solicitor General Richards Holds that the Government Has Never Really Acquired Title.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—A conference was held at the Department of Justice today with Solicitor General Richards regarding the return of the Washington relics to the Lee family. General Fitzhugh Lee, Miss Mary Custis Lee, with a power of attorney from her brother, George Washington Parke Custis Lee, with a power of attorney from her father, Richard Henry Lee, and Mr. Clark of the Smithsonian Institution, were present.

It was decided that the relics will be returned tomorrow.

President McKinley wrote a letter before leaving Washington, directing that this be done. The relics were taken from Arlington, in 1862, since which time they have been in the possession of the United States, but the government, in the opinion of Attorney General Richards has never acquired title to them.

SMELTING COMPANY'S REPLY

American Concern Asserts Deal with Guggenheim is Made and Injunction Void.

TRENTON, N. J., May 13.—Argument was heard by Judge Wood and the United States circuit court today on the application to make permanent the injunction restraining the American Smelting and Refining company from turning over to M. Guggenheim Sons' the \$4,000,000 stock which was to be paid for the Guggenheim plant. The smelting company interposed as a defense lack of jurisdiction, also contending that the transfer of the property having already been made by Guggenheim Sons it was too late to enjoin the transfer of stock and the continuation of the contract. It is probable that the court will decide the question of jurisdiction before considering on its merits the application for an injunction.

DEBS SAYS HE'LL KEEP OUT

Confirms Report of Effort to Revive Railway Union, but Disavows Personal Participation.

CHICAGO, May 13.—Eugene V. Debs confirms the story that an effort is being made to revive the American Railway union under the name of the United Brotherhood of Railway Employees.

"I have decided to hold aloof from the organization for the present," he said, "because I have other weighty matters to attend to. Probably when the railway men of the entire country are ready to enter into such a movement I shall assist them."

MARSAC BULLION RECOVERED

Quantity Taken from Utah Refinery is Found and Arrests Made.

SALT LAKE, Utah, May 13.—A special to the Deseret News from Park City, Utah, says that George Reddell and Albert Niles were arrested today, charged with stealing \$15,000 worth of silver bullion. Reddell has been night watchman at the refinery, and Niles is his son-in-law. The greater portion of the bullion was recovered by the sheriff today at Niles' house.

Walkerville Match Factory Burns.

DETROIT, May 14.—Fire early this morning destroyed the entire plant of the Walkerville (Ont.) match factory. The loss is estimated at \$115,000, with \$75,000 insurance. About 100 men were employed.

Arrested for Burglary.

Peter Carroll was arrested with two other suspects at 1312 Harney street early this morning, charged with the burglary of Max Hecht's drug store. Six other suspects were arrested at the circus. The police arrested Carroll after he returned with cigars for sale yesterday afternoon. Sergeant Wetschberg and a dozen other officers made the descent upon the suspected place.

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